

**REMARKS**

Claims 1-19 are currently pending. Claims 1-5 and 12-16 are currently being considered, none of which have been amended. Claims 6-11 and 17-19 have been withdrawn from consideration. No new claims have been added. Applicants believe that no new matter has been introduced.

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated May 13, 2005, the corrected section of the non-compliant amendment is set forth herein above.

In view of the aforementioned amendments and accompanying remarks, all claims currently being considered are in condition for allowance, which action, at an early date, is requested.

If, for any reason, it is felt that this application is not now in condition for allowance, the Examiner is requested to contact the Applicants' undersigned attorney at the telephone number indicated below to arrange for an interview to expedite the disposition of this case.

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In the event that this paper is not timely filed, Applicants respectfully petition for an appropriate extension of time. Please charge any fees for such an extension of time and any other fees which may be due with respect to this paper, to Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

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